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SUBJECT: PL 480 AGREEMENT WITH SYRIA

1. BOTH BAATH PARTY NEWSPAPER, AL-BAATH, AND GOVERNMENT RUN DAILY, AL-THAWRA, PUBLISHED ON NOVEMBER 21, SYRIAN ARAB NEWS AGENCY (SANA) RELEASE ON SIGNING OF PL 480 AGREEMENT EVENING OF NOVEMBER 20. ARTICLE FACTUAL AND STRAIGHTFORWARD REPORTING THAT US WILL PROVIDE LOAN TO SYRIA ESTIMATED AT DOLLARS 22.5 MILLION FOR 75,000 TONS OF WHEAT AND 25,000 TONS OF RICE. ACCORDING TO SANA, LOAN WILL BE USED TO DEVELOP SYRIAN AGRICULTURE.

2. IN SPITE OF PRESENCE AT SIGNING OF REPRESENTATIVES OF SYRIAN RADIO AND TV, IMPORTANT MEDIA HAVE NOT YET CARRIED NEWS OF SIGNING. TV REPORT, HOWEVER, WILL PROBABLY OCCUR THIS EVENING. WILL ADVISE OF ANY ADDITIONAL PUBLICITY.
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